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SUBJ: TIN: SUSPENSION OF BUFFER STOCK MANAGER AND  
ASSISTANT

1. QUOTED IN FULL IS A PRESS COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY THE  
INTERNATIONAL TIN COUNCIL MAY 9. WE UNDERSTAND THE  
DECISION WAS TAKEN TO SUSPEND ADNAN AND BUENO LATE  
FRIDAY AFTER A STAFF MEETING AT THE ITC, BUT HAVE NO  
FURTHER DETAILS AT THE MOMENT. A SPECIAL MEETING OF  
"HEADS OF DELEGATIONS" OF ITC MEMBERS IS NOW IN PROGRESS,  
WITH A PRESS CONFERENCE PROMISED FOR LATER TODAY.

2. BEGIN TEXT. THE EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN OF THE INTERNA-  
TIONAL TIN COUNCIL TODAY SUSPENDED FROM DUTY THE BUFFER

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STOCK MANAGER OF THE COUNCIL (MR. R.T. ADNAN) AND THE  
DEPUTY BUFFER STOCK MANAGER (MR. J.M. BUENO). THE

SUSPENSION HAS IMMEDIATE EFFECT AND IS FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD. NEITHER OFFICIAL HAS ANY AUTHORITY FOR PURCHASE OR SALE OF TIN ON BEHALF OF THE COUNCIL, FOR FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS OR FOR ANY OTHER BUSINESS OF THE COUNCIL.

THE BUFFER STOCK REMAINS FULLY OPERATIVE. THE EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN HAS ASSUMED THE DUTIES OF BUFFER STOCK MANAGER AD INTERIM; MR. PHILIP J. JEVONS HAS BEEN APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVISER TO ASSIST WITH BUFFER STOCK OPERATIONS. HE WILL BE ASSISTED BY MESSRS. P.B.L. LEEMING AND GARY O'NEIL. THE EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN AUTHORIZES THE THREE GENTLEMEN MENTIONED, MESSRS. P.J. JEVONS, P.B.L. LEEMING AND G. O'NEIL, TO PURCHASE AND SELL TIN, AND CARRY OUT FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS ON HIS BEHALF. END TEXT.

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